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To: Wescott, Allison@DTSC [Allison.Wescott@dtsc.ca.gov]

Subject: Superfund site listing steps
Attachments: NPL listing process.pdf

Hi Allison,

When we spoke recently about Exide, we talked a bit about the process – and length of time – for getting from a state's request that a site be added to Superfund National Priorities List (NPL) to the actual addition of the site. The attached graphic shows - in likely WAY more technical detail than you'd want - the 8-12 months long process from a state's request to EPA's official proposal of the site addition.

It should be noted here that an analysis of data needed to determine whether Exide is eligible for NPL listing has not been completed. If additional data is needed this could result in a delay for EPA beginning the process leading up to a proposal to the NPL.

If then takes around 6 months from the official EPA proposal (the last step shown in this graphic) to actual NPL listing of the site, to allow for public notice and public comments.

To clarify, the attached graphic and my estimated timeframes are for your/DTSC's info, not for use in public communications.

I hope this all helps rather than needlessly complicates things!

Regards,

Mike